

CCGA Bylaws Outline and Selections

Mission

Goals

Objectives

Membership

Board and Committees

Mission (examples to select or create our own)

- o To provide the preservation, creation, and empowerment of community gardens through education, advocacy, and grass roots organizing
- o Enhance the well being and beauty of the community
- o Growing fresh produce
- o Providing locally-grown food to people in need
- o Increasing social interaction in the community
- o Creating educational gardens in an attractive setting

Objectives

- o At least 3 workshops each year related to organic, sustainable gardening
- o Five to ten percent of produce for charitable donations.

Membership

- o Individual - \$1-\$30 (or more) with \$15 recommended contribution
- o Garden Group - \$1 - \$50
- o Community Collaborator - \$1 - \$100

Ex. Voting rights and elections after attending a minimum of three meetings.

Board and Committees

A. Officers (and limits)

- a. President
- b. Vice-President
- c. Secretary
- d. Treasurer

B. Board

- a. Includes officers, garden manages, garden assistants, and ____ members at large

C. Duties (see attachments)

D. Standing Committees

a. Communications (Elect a chairperson or Secretary chairs)

Environmental response team

b. Education Committee (includes workshops)

Garden Committee

Landscaping Committee

c. Plant Distribution Committee

d. Development Committee

d.i. Fundraising, grants etc..

d.ii. Membership (expansion)

e. Other possible committees

e.i. Community Harvest Committee

E. Ad hoc Committees

a. Construction Committee

b. Event Planning Team

F. Association Policies

a. Meetings (Quarterly board meetings)

b. Elections and voting

c. Garden participation

d. Chemical use

e. Biosolids use